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SUBJECT: BURMA AID TEAM REPORT AND FOLLOW UP

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1. EMBASSY HAS INFORMED GUB MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND FINANCE AND MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIALS OF FAVORABLE AID DECISION, PER REFTEL. DEPUTY MINISTER OF PLANNING AND FINANCE DR. MAUNG SHEIN EXPRESSED HIS GRATITUDE BUT HINTED THAT GUB WOULD (UNDERSTANDABLY) PREFER GRANT TO LOAN ASSISTANCE. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DIRECTOR GENERAL OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND ECONOMICS DAW THAN HAN ALSO APPEARED PLEASED; SHE REMARKED THAT SHE THOUGHT THE TIME IS RIGHT FOR AN IMPROVEMENT IN BILATERAL RELATIONS.

2. EMBASSY PRESENTED A NOTE TO FOREIGN MINISTRY STATING THAT THE USG CONSIDERS THE MARCH 1957 ECONOMIC COOPERATION AGREEMENT AS AMENDED ADEQUATE TO COVER RESUMPTION OF BILATERAL ASSISTANCE, AND ASKING WHETHER THE GUB ALSO COSIDERS THAT AGREEMENT ADEQUATE. EMBASSY OFFICERS TOLD DAW THAN HAN THAT WE WOULD LIKE A WRITTEN RESPONSE GIVING GUB POSITION ON THE AGREEMENT.

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3. DR. MAUNG SHEIN EXPRESSED READINESS TO RECEIVE AID DESIGN TEAM BUT SAID HE WOULD PREFER NOVEMBER DATE BECAUSE KEY ECONOMIC OFFICIALS WILL BE OCCUPIED WITH MID-OCTOBER PYITHU HLUTTAW (PEOPLE'S PARLIAMENT) SESSION, FOLLOWED BY WORLD BANK MISSION TO RANGOON IN LATE OCTOBER. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS AID DESIGN TEAM VISIT SHOULD BE

POSTPONED UNTIL AFTER WORLD BANK MISSION PER DR. MAUNG
SHEIN'S SUGGESTION.
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